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EXAMINING GROUP 2811

TC 2800 MAIL ROOM

PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of: Tae-Gyoung KANG

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LAYOUT METHOD OF SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Responsive to the Final Office Action, dated January 22, 2003, please amend the application as follows.